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Title: MULTIVALENT TARGET BINDING PROTEIN

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE UNDER 37 CFR §§1.821-825

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Applications Containing Sequence Disclosures mailed August 31, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c) (3), please substitute for pending claim 8 with the following clean version of the claim. The changes to these claims are shown explicitly in the attached "Marked Up Version of Claims."

8. (Amended) The target binding protein of claim 7, wherein the first peptide linker comprises the amino acid sequence EPKSADKTHTCPPCPGGGS (SEQ ID NO: 1), and wherein the second peptide linker comprises the amino acid sequence EPKSCDKTHTCPPCPGGGS (SEQ ID NO: 2).